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RESPONSE UNDER 37 CFR 1.116
EXPEDITED PROCEDURE
EXAMINING GROUP ART UNIT 2861

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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
	:	Examiner: H. Legesse
HIROSHI TANIUCHI, ET AL.)	
	:	Group Art Unit: 2861
Application No.: 10/561,528)	
	:	Confirmation No.: 9818
Filed: December 20, 2005)	
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For: IMAGE FORMING METHOD, IMAGE)	
FORMING APPARATUS, INTERMEDIATE	:	
TRANSFER BODY, AND METHOD OF)	
MODIFYING SURFACE OF	:	
INTERMEDIATE TRANSFER BODY)	November 21, 2008

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed August 21, 2008, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and allowance in view of the following remarks.